

Sale of Intoxicating Liquors (Ireland) Bill.

MEMORANDUM.

This Bill is the same as passed by the Select Committee in the session of 1888, and reported to the House,

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Amend the Law relating to the Sale of Intoxicating
Liquors in Ireland on Saturdays and Sundays, and for
other purposes connected therewith. A.D. 1897.

BE it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and
with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and
Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled,
and by the authority of the same, as follows :

5 1. The Sale of Liquors on Sunday (Ireland) Act, 1878, as
amended by this Act, shall continue in force until Parliament
otherwise enacts, and the provisions of the said Act in regard to
closing on the whole of Sundays are hereby extended to the
metropolitan police district of Dublin metropolis, and to the cities
10 of Belfast, Cork, Limerick, and Waterford.

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sion of
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2. It shall not be lawful for any person to sell or expose for sale
intoxicating liquor, or to open or keep open any premises for the
sale of the same, on Saturdays after *nine o'clock* at night; and the
provisions of every Act (in regard to penalties and otherwise)
15 relating to selling or exposing for sale, or purchasing, intoxicating
liquor, or opening or keeping open any premises for the sale of
intoxicating liquor, or being present in or upon any such premises
at any hour, shall be amended in this particular, and shall apply
as if the hour of *nine o'clock* were specified therein as the
20 hour at which licensed premises are required to be closed on
Saturdays. Where any business, other than the sale of intoxicating
liquors, is carried on in the licensed premises the whole of such
premises shall be closed at the hour aforesaid, unless the portion of
the same in which such sale of intoxicating liquors is carried on
25 is structurally separated from the remainder of the building.

*Closing
hours on
Saturday.*

3. Nothing in this Act shall be construed to apply to sales of
intoxicating liquor to lodgers, or to sale of intoxicating liquor in

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travellers.*

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A.D. 1897. packet boats, or in canteens in pursuance of the Acts regulating the same, or shall preclude the sale at any time at a railway station of intoxicating liquor on arrival or departure of trains, or to bonâ fide travellers.

For the purposes of this Act and the other Acts relating to the sale of intoxicating liquors, a person shall not be deemed to be a bonâ fide traveller unless the place where he lodged during the preceding night is at least six miles distant from the place where he demands to be supplied with liquor, such distance to be calculated by the nearest public thoroughfare.

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mencement.

4. This Act may be cited as the Intoxicating Liquors (Ireland) Act, 1897. This Act shall commence and come into operation on the *twentieth day of October one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven*.

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Ordered by The House of Commons, to be Printed,
17 January 1807

**EXCERPTS FROM THE INTERNATIONAL
TREATY ON THE ELIMINATION OF ALL FORMS OF RACISM
AND DISCRIMINATION**

And we recommend, unless already included in National, State,
Local and International Laws, that the following be adopted, amended, or
added to National Laws or Ordinances of the U.S. or to
State Ordinances of the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and
the District of Puerto Rico, respectively:

Article XXIV of the American Declaration of the Rights and Duties of Man.

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